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Two compete for six-bed ICF-MR facility in Guilford County

RALEIGH – Two applicants have filed competing applications with the Certificate of Need Section of the N.C. Division of Health Service Regulation to construct a new six-bed intermediate care facility for the mentally retarded (ICF-MR) in Guilford County.

A public hearing for these projects will be held on Dec. 16 at 1 p.m. in the Continuing Education Center, Room 152 A&B, of Guilford Technical Community College, Greensboro Campus, 3505 E. Wendover Ave., Greensboro.

The 2008 State Medical Facilities Plan (SMFP) identifies a need for a new six-bed ICF-MR facility in Guilford County. The two applicants and a summary of their proposals follow:

- VOCA Corporation North Carolina d/b/a Community Alternatives - North Carolina 1 proposes to construct a \$516,000 ICF-MR facility to be located at 2309 Hemlock Drive in High Point.
- Residential Healthcare Affiliates of North Carolina MR proposes to construct a \$650,000 ICF-MR facility to be located at 1607 Bridges Drive in High Point.

Anyone may file written comments concerning these proposals. Comments must be received by the Certificate of Need Section no later than December 1 at the following address:

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